

Public Health System Improvement Task Force

The composition of the Task Force is limited to seventeen (17) members. The following list indicates: 1) position; 2) name of person holding that position; and 3) the committee that person serves on. Bold letters in the last column indicates that the person is chair or co-chair of the committee.

Co-Chairs

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| 1. | The Administrator of the Public Health & Safety Division, DPHHS | Jane Smilie | Executive Committee |
| 2. | A Local Health Officer or Lead Local Public Health Official | Judy LaPan | Executive Committee |

Past-Chair

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| 3. | A Local Health Officer or Lead Local Public Health Official | Stephanie Nelson | Emergency Preparedness |
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Population-based representatives from Local Health Departments in Montana:

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| 4. | Large county representative (serving a population of more than 20,000) | Melanie Reynolds | SA&F* |
| 5. | Medium county representative (serving a population of 10,000—19,999) | Cindy Morgan | Workforce Development |
| 6. | Small county representative (serving a population of 5,000—9,999) | Ginger Roll | Informatics |
| 7. | Frontier county representative (serving a population of 4,999 or less) | Mary Nyhus | Workforce Development |

Representatives from the following agencies or statewide associations:

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| 8. | Association of Montana Public Health Officials (AMPHO) | Jill Steeley | Workforce Development |
| 9. | Indian Health Services (IHS) | Vacant | |
| 10. | Local Board of Health member (LBOH) | Robin Cory | Workforce Development |
| 11. | Montana Association of Counties (MACO) | Jean Curtis | Workforce Development |
| 12. | Montana Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) | Tom Ellerhoff | SA&F |
| 13. | Montana Environmental Health Association (MEHA) | Susan Brueggeman | Workforce Development |
| 14. | Montana Primary Care Association (MPCA) | Mary Beth Frideres | SA&F |
| 15. | Montana Public Health Association (MPHA) | Lora Wier | SA&F |
| 16. | Montana University System | Craig Molgaard . . . | Workforce Development |
| 17. | Tribal Health Department | Janet Runnion | SA & F |

* Standards, Accountability and Financing Committee

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